

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND**

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**NORVEL FERGUSON, et al.,**

**Plaintiffs,**

**v.**

**THE INTERSTATE NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
d/b/a THE BLOCK ISLAND FERRY, et al,**

**Defendants.**

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**Civil Action No.  
1:23-cv-00326-MSM-LDA**

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

The undersigned attorney hereby notifies the Court and counsel that Samuel P. Blatchley, of the law firm of ECKLAND & BLANDO LLP, enters his appearance in the above-captioned matter on behalf of Defendant, The Interstate Navigation Company, d/b/a The Block Island Ferry.

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Respectfully submitted,

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